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Filed: April 26, 2001)
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REFERENCE ORDERING IN A)
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EMPLOYING A MULTIPLE-)
LEVEL INTER-NODE SWITCH)

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Art Unit: 2151

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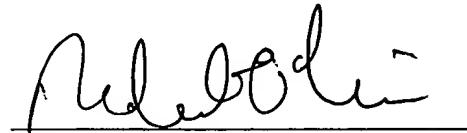
LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

If the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application approves, please substitute the enclosed drawing sheets containing formal version of Figures 1 for the corresponding drawing sheet currently in the application.

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Formal Drawing (1 sheets)
 Letter to Official Draftsman
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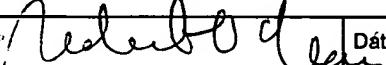
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Enclosed in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers-Filing Date Granted mailed June 22, 2001, is a Letter to Official Draftsman accompanied by a formal drawing for this Response.

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted.

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